

Board of Directors Meeting in Public - Cover Sheet

Subject:	SFH Allied Health Professional Strategy 2019-2021	Date: 4 July 2019		
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Purpose				
For Trust Board ratification in advance of the launch of the AHP Strategy 2019-2021		Approval	X	
		Assurance		
		Update		
		Consider		
Strategic Objectives				
To provide outstanding care	To promote and support health and wellbeing	To maximise the potential of our workforce	To continuously learn and improve	To achieve better value
X	X	X	X	X
Overall Level of Assurance				
	Significant	Sufficient	Limited	None
		X		
Risks/Issues				
Financial				
Patient Impact	X			
Staff Impact	X			
Services				
Reputational	X			
Committees/groups where this item has been presented before				
Nursing Midwifery and AHP Board May 2019				
Executive Summary				
<p>The Allied Health Professional (AHP) strategy for SFH has been developed over a number of months through a series of engagement sessions, workshops, interactions and comments from the full range of AHP colleagues. It has been aligned to the 2018 Nursing and Midwifery Strategy and the more recent Trust Strategy.</p> <p>We have directly consulted with over 200 staff which equate to 50% of our AHP workforce. The objectives have been developed from the direct contributions made by everyone who shared their thoughts and ambitions for the future of our patients and AHPs at Sherwood Forest Hospital.</p> <p>A number of objectives across this strategy have been identified which as an AHP group, we commit to convert into achievable actions. Where these are already in place we will celebrate and promote these and look to further enhance their value. There will be new opportunities to improve our services which we pledge to translate into tangible benefits and actions. We will provide regular forums to meet with each other and with the support of our other colleagues will deliver on the expectations expressed here.</p> <p>As Associate Chief Allied Health Professionals we will bring this together as evidence of the progress we have made both leading up to and after publication of this strategy.</p>				